

## PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
PATENT EXAMINING OPERATION

Applicant(s): Brian J. BALIN

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For: TREATMENT AND DIAGNOSIS OF ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIMECommissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a 1-month extension of time for responding to the Office Action dated July 11, 2003, up to and including November 11, 2003, for the purpose of permitting the timely filing of the enclosed Response.

Authorization to charge the additional fee of \$55.00 for the 1-month extension of time for a small entity, and/or any additional fees associated with this Petition For Extension of Time is granted in the attached Fee Transmittal Form.

Respectfully submitted,

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